

2018-2019 Live Materials Schedule

Butterflies – Kits for fall will ship prior to the week of September 4, 2018. Larvae for fall will ship the week of September 24, 2018.

Kits for spring will ship prior to the week of April 1, 2019. Larvae for spring will ship during the week of April 22, 2019 for Western New York and the week of May 6 for Long Island.

Crayfish – Kits for fall will ship prior to September 4, 2018. Live crayfish ship to Eastern New York the week of September 10 and to Western New York the week of September 17.

Earthworms – Kits for fall will ship prior to September 4, 2018. Live earthworms will ship the week of September 24.

Kits for Spring will ship prior to April 8, 2019. Earthworms will ship the week of April 29, 2019.

Eggs to Toads – Kits will ship prior to the week of April 8, 2019 so teachers have time to collect and acclimatize the pond water for the aquaria. Weather conditions permitting, live toad eggs will ship the week of April 22, 2019 for Western New York and the week of April 29 for Long Island.

STEM Connection Kit Kindergarten- Earthworms will ship the week of April 29, 2019.

STEM Connection Kit Grade 1- Betta fish will be delivered to local districts the week of March 25, 2019. Schools outside of the region for local delivery will need to purchase Betta fish. All supplies for the fish, including the aquarium, are in the kit.

STEM Connection Kit Grade 2- Mealworms will ship week of March 25, 2019.

STEM Connection Kit Grade 3- Aloe, bromeliads, moss and lichens will ship the week of September 24, 2018. Butterflies will ship the week of October 29, 2018.

STEM Connection Kit Grade 4- Crayfish will ship the week of week of October 29, 2018.

STEM Connection Kit Grade 5- Philodendron, millipedes, pill bugs and earthworms will ship the week of October 29, 2018.